Dear members of the committee,

I am writing to voice my opposition to HB 6818 which would reintroduce tolls to Connecticut highways. The reason for my opposition is "how much is enough"? We are already taxed so severely in this state that it is bordering on impossible to live here. My wife and I recently retired and quite frankly WE CAN'T TAKE IT ANYMORE! And even though we live in Shelton which has an excellent tax structure we are very seriously considering moving out of our lifelong state to greener pastures so to speak. The addition of tolls to our highways along with the highest gas tax in the nation will only serve to bolster our resolve to get out.

Please see the handwriting on the wall; We are broke!!!!!! There is nothing left to give. We have worked hard all our lives and we deserve to have a few dollars at the end of the week to maybe go out to dinner!!!

Please, I implore you, vote no to HB 6818.

Sincerely,

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